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There is a large demand for good sheep shearers, now.

Dr. Hathaway was a professional visitor here Thursday.

Mrs. Medora Gardner was here yesterday visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. D. Divelbess.

Frank Campbell was down from from Snowflake Thursday after a load of freight.

Frank Owens, Will White and Fay Gardner were down from Woodruff yesterday.

Ben Crosby, of Springerville spent Sunday here and left for Zuni, New Mexico, Monday.

Don't forget the wedding dance at Wooster's Hall, on Monday night.

J. E. Richards was up from St. Joseph Monday, after supplies for his store.

R. D. Greer has planted a row of locust trees in front of his residence and meat market.

J. H. Willis, U. S. contractor from Snowflake, spent Tuesday in the metropolis of Navajo Co., in the interests of his contract.

Hon. J. X. Woods came up from Winslow Monday, on business matters pertaining to the oilfields, situated near there.

The bids for hauling the government freight to Ft. Apache for the ensuing year will be opened Monday.

Mrs. C. H. Brown returned from Gallup Wednesday morning where she has been having some dental work done.

Jean Peryon, a sheep buyer of Los Angeles, California stopped over here, Tuesday. He left next morning for Concho and St. Johns.

Dr. Geo. P. Sampson, of Winslow was here Monday to attend a meeting of the Board of Health, held in the court-house that afternoon.

The Government has advertised for bids on 500,000 pounds of hay and 450,000 pounds of barley, to be delivered at Ft. Apache between now and July 1st.

Tommy Sutton, traveling salesman for Bishop and company of Los Angeles, Cal., was here Tuesday doing business with the merchants.

George Hennesy and Dick Grigsby came in from the range Sunday with a small bunch of fat cattle, which they sold to R. D. Greer at a good price.

J. E. Porter, one of Navajo county's large flock owners came in from Long Beach, Cal., where he has spent the winter, Thursday night. Mr. Porter left for Showlow yesterday.

J. B. Patterson came in from Phoenix Thursday night and left for St. Johns next morning.

Miss Vina Savage came down from Woodruff Thursday and left Friday morning for St. Joseph, where she will visit friends.

H. A. Pease came down from Gallup Wednesday morning on No. 1, and returned home on No. 8 the same day.

G. E. Sullivan, the efficient Santa Fe agent at this place has returned from a several weeks visit in Mexico. He intended visiting Peru, but urgent business caused him to return. He will remain here a few days and then go to Peru.—Flagstaff Gem.

Three carloads of troop property, belonging to Troops E and G, of the 5th cavalry, arrived here on the 29th. The troops are marching overland from Ft. Logan, Colorado to Ft. Apache.

Pedro Montano arrived here Thursday morning from Las Animas, Colo. He will be here for a couple of months, attending to the shearing and lambing of his large flocks of sheep.

Jesse N. Smith and wife, Wm. J. Flake and A. L. Rogers, of Snowflake, left here Wednesday for Salt Lake City, to attend the Spring Conference of the Mormon church, to be held in that city from April 3 to 7.

John Nelson has just had some assays from some of his mining locations which gave returns of 37 per cent copper per ton, which at the present price of that metal means over \$100 per ton. In gold the metal gave 82c.—Mesa Free Press.

Governor Brodie has appointed the following delegates to the national and international convention of the National Good Roads Association, which will meet at St. Louis in conjunction with the world's fair, May 16 to 21st: Walter Bennett, Phoenix; J. L. F. Bell, St. Johns; Peter T. Robertson, Yuma; J. J. Frasier, Florence; Howard W. Kemper, Kingman; John Bilby, Thatcher; S. W. Clawson, Bisbee; J. H. Page, Grand Canyon; Jesse Wiley, Globe; L. E. Divelbess, Holbrook; A. L. Peck, Nogales, and R. D. Woodell, Tucson.

The constantly increasing business of the Santa Fe has made necessary the placing of a contract with the Baldwin Works for fifty new locomotives. Two of these engines are designed to pull 60,000 tons of dead weight on a level grade. The weight of each will be about 280,000 lbs. and that of the tender about 200,000 lbs. The other locomotives will be of the balanced compound type, similar in many respects to the French engines. They are designed to attain a speed of eighty miles an hour and will be used exclusively for passenger trains. Each weighs about 320,000 pounds including the tender.

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### Is Crime Increasing.

Few social questions are asked more frequently than, what is the increase of crime? The National Census Bureau is seeking an answer to this inquiry. It is undertaking to secure a record of all the persons who are sentenced to the various jails, penitentiaries, and other prisons in the United States during the year 1904.

The wardens of the state prisons and the sheriffs of the counties are requested to act as special agents to report certain facts concerning every person delivered into their custody. Some counties have not been heard from. In some perhaps there are no jails, in others perhaps the local jails are no longer used, in still others the sheriffs have possibly neglected the matter. But the records of the census bureau and the resulting statistics will not be complete until all are heard from and it is hoped that the pressure of other business will not cause the sheriff of any county to block this most important inquiry.

H. C. Donleigh is here today visiting old friends.

E. T. Hatch of Taylor was a visitor here Thursday.

Rev. Heald will hold services in the school house, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Seegar, of Winslow, was here Thursday and purchased a car load of beer bottles, which he shipped East.

Born on April 1st to Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thacker, of Penzance, a large baby girl. Mother and babe doing nicely.

F. LaRoche and wife, of Seattle, Wash., left for Keams Canyon, Saturday morning to look up curiosities, also to study the history of the Hopi Indians.

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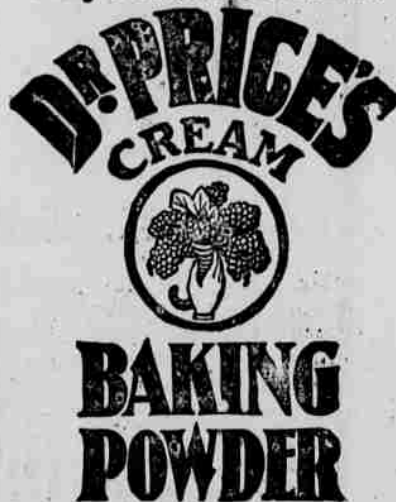
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